

WOMAN PIONEER IS CALLED BY DEATH

The many friends and acquaintances of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Drowley today mourn the death of one of Monett's pioneers who has resided here for the past 28 years. Mrs. Drowley, 72 years of age, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, No. 405 Fourth street, at 2:20 o'clock Friday morning, May 20.

Mrs. Drowley, widow of the late Edward C. Drowley, was born in Mt. Eaton, Ohio, July 1, 1849. She was married to Edward C. Drowley on February 1, 1866, at Mt. Eaton, Ohio. She took suddenly ill on the morning of Friday, May 13, at her home on Central avenue, and on Saturday she was taken to the home of her daughter Mrs. Johnson and was faithfully cared for by her daughter until death called her.

The decedent is survived by one son Jesse Drowley, of Muskogee, Okla., four daughters, Mrs. Hattie Pope, Mrs. Bessie Williams, Mrs. Clara Moffett, of Oakland, Calif., and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, of this city; three sisters, Mrs. Savilla Shance, of Charlotte, Mich.; Mrs. J. B. Miller and Mrs. Joe Stout, of Kendallville, Ind.; and one brother, Sam Miser, of Detroit, Mich. Her daughters were called when their mother took sick, and they are on their way, but will not arrive until tomorrow.

Mrs. Drowley was a faithful member of the Methodist Episcopal church, a member of Order Eastern Star No. 190, and a member of the Security Benefit Association.

FUNERAL OF MRS.

MARY E. DROWLEY

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Drowley, who died Friday morning, May 20, were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Methodist Episcopal church. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Shaddrick, and he was assisted by Rev. J. R. Jordan of Joplin.

The services were short and impressive. Rev. Shaddrick told of her beautiful life which covers a little more than seventy-two years. She was one of the prominent members of the Methodist church, and was a friend and helper to any one who was in trouble or needed help in any way. Her presence will be greatly missed, not only by her children, but by her friends, who numbered many.

The flowers sent as a last tribute by her friends, were beautiful and were carried by Mrs. T. E. Austin, Mrs. H. H. Rhodes, Mrs. George Wilhoit, Miss Lester Cox, Mrs. N. C. Ketring, Mrs. Frank Boucher, Mrs. Emma Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Cook and Mrs. Kenneth Guinney.

The pall-bearers were J. H. Gulick, M. F. Hoover, Fred Walton, A. C. Squibbs, R. B. Kyler and J. W. F. Roberson.

Special music was furnished by the church choir, and Peyton Gulick contributed a beautiful violin solo, "Mother," and was accompanied by Mrs. M. C. Shipley on the pipe organ.

ATTENDED FUNERAL OF MRS.

M. E. DROWLEY

Among the out-of-town friends who were here to attend the funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Drowley, held Sunday afternoon from the Methodist Episcopal church were Mr. and Mrs. George Rice, Mr. and Mrs. F. Henschel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Hill, Mrs. Clarence Woolner, of Stotts City; Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jordan and Mrs. Chas. Jordan, of Joplin.

The three daughters of Mrs. Drowley, living at Oakland, Calif., arrived Saturday to attend the funeral. They were Mrs. Clara Moffett, Mrs. Hattie Pope and Mrs. Bessie Williams.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends who assisted us during the illness and at the death of our beloved mother, and also for the many, beautiful flowers. We will never forget the kindness extended to us.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson.
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Drowley.
Mrs. Clara Moffett.
Mrs. Hattie Pope.
Mrs. Bessie Williams.

ARRESTED FOR BEATING WIFE

Constable Joe Jackson was called Sunday morning to arrest Dave Barrett on East Broadway, for beating his wife, Saturday night. His trial will be held Friday before E. A. O'Dwyer, justice of the peace.

BASKET PICNIC AT

PEIRCE CITY LAKE

The following party of young people from Monett went to Peirce City Saturday evening and enjoyed a basket picnic at the lake: Misses Virginia and Frances Folger, Georgia Mooney, Helen Nothman, Martha Higgins; Fred Richardson, Clarence Bridwell, William Mooney, Paul Mooney, John and Bill Higgins.

They were chaperoned by Mrs. F. L. Higgins and Mrs. E. A. Everley.

PARK PROPOSITION FAVORABLE TO PEOPLE

Straw Vote Counted at Commercial Club Luncheon Indicates that Monett Citizens Favor Bond Issue.

At the Commercial club luncheon held at the Commercial Cafe Thursday evening, the result of the straw vote conducted through the Monett Times was reported, the report indicating that the citizens of Monett wanted a city park and that they favor a bond issue to pay for the same.

Chas. Mansfield, chairman of the committee reported that 441 people had sent in their votes as follows: against a park, 5; no choice of site, 30; Wormingtons Grove, 1; Welsh's land, 7; Marshall tract, 168 and Meador Grove, 230.

The park and legislation committee was instructed to go before the city council and inform them of the sentiment of the people for a city park and ask that they call a special election for the purpose of voting bonds.

President J. V. Nelson asked H. T. Osborn to report on marking the trail on the new highway. Mr. Osborn reported that the cost would be \$100, which he thought was too much for what benefit the town would receive. The matter was tabled.

The free camp ground committee reported that they had obtained suitable camp ground in the northwest part of town, owned by Miss Mills. They voted to pay the taxes on the tract for the use of the same. Work has been begun to clear off the underbrush and to put in water and electric lights and camp ovens for the use of tourists.

It was voted to send Monett's quota of \$500 for the Ozark Playgrounds Association, to the secretary of the Association. It was voted to turn over \$100 to the free camp ground committee to be used in necessary improvements. This money is a part of a fund donated by the members of the club and other citizens for this purpose. The part of the fund left after paying these two obligations, is to be kept in a separate fund, a part of which is to be used in printing booklets to advertise the town and community.

Floyd Callaway was appointed on the booklet committee.

The Club report a very interesting meeting and express their appreciation of the excellent meal served by the Commercial Cafe management.

be exceptions to the rule.

Another function of education is designed to teach useful and harmless enjoyment of leisure time. A part of one's time must be used in his avocation, a part for restful sleep and the remainder in harmless recreation. He deplores the "senseless, sap-headed chatter" of certain society people. He said the proper education would teach one to enjoy good books, good music and harmless recreation.

The full fruition of the education should be reached in an honorable old age, when one could look back upon beautiful memories, experiences and thoughts.

F. M. Shriver, a member of the board of education, presented the diplomas to the class in a few words of congratulation. Little Alexandria Capps, the superintendent's little daughter, handed out the diplomas as the names were called and received her share of the applause.

Finis E. Engleman announced the class honors. Oral McCubbin, the honor student, made an unusual record for scholarship, having received sixteen E's, the highest grade possible to make. His brother, Earl McCubbin, was second with ten E's and six S's. Pauline Gabriel and Mildred Freeze tied for third honors, Miss Gabriel winning eight E's and eight S's and Miss Freeze winning nine E's, six S's and one M. Miss Ruth Feist was next with one E, eleven S's and four M's. The E stands for distinguished ability. The S is for superior work and only about one-fourth of the students ever attain it.

Three colleges offer scholarships to the students receiving highest honors. These are the Missouri University, Drury College and Southwest Missouri Teachers' College. The scholarships were given to Oral McCubbin to dispose of as he sees fit.

At the close of the exercises, George J. C. Wilhelm, Y. M. C. A. secretary, pronounced the benediction.

The members of this year's graduating class are as follows:

Ethel Archdale, Fay Baum, Opal Carlin, Homer Counts, Della Courdin, Florence Courdin, Ruth Cox, Margaret Davis, Clara Ellis, Ruth Feist, Ervin Floreth, Mildred Freeze, Pauline Gabriel, Durward Gooch, Florence Hobbs, Harold Johnson, Cyril Kehres, Elizabeth Kersey, Christine Lonn, Earl McCubbin, Oral McCubbin, Ruth Mahoney, Thelma Matthews, Gladys Meador, Julia Monnet, Helen Nordin, Octavia Payne, Lee Polson, Alfred Richardson, Grace Richardson, Florence Revnaud, Ida Revnaud, Theo. Shenhert, Leslie Stephenson, William Stewart, James Swartzel, Sidney Thompson, Goldie Tracy, Ruth Wilhelm and Dena Withers.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD FRIDAY MORNING

Commencement exercises of Monett high school were held at the Rialto theatre Friday morning, the use of the building having been donated by the theatre management. The large room was well filled with the people from Monett and vicinity, who had gathered to witness the graduation of the forty young men and women. The exercises were dignified and impressive.

The students marched to the stage to the music of a march played by Miss Frances Folger. The Rev. C. F. Whitlock, pastor of the Baptist church gave the invocation.

Oral McCubbin, the honor student of the high school, and valedictorian of the class, gave the oration, "Materialism, America's Weakness," his original composition which won the gold medal at the oratorical contest of the schools of Southwest Missouri at Springfield.

Dean M. A. O'Rear, of Southwest Teachers' College, gave the principal address, his subject being "The Meaning of Education." He spoke of the influence, purpose and process of education from a practical standpoint.

The oration itself showed a fine grasp of his subject and it was clothed in strong language and delivered with telling effect. It showed much research, study and thought in its composition and was probably the best original oration ever given by a Monett student.

He said a person's education starts when he draws his first breath. Before he starts to school the formation of his character and education is well started. The American public school is the organized agency of society for the promulgation of education and occupies a big place in American life.

Conceding the importance of the public school in a person's education, Dr. O'Rear mentioned other agencies such as the American press, moving picture theatres and the church. The integrity of a civilization depends upon the integrity of the home and the church, fulfilling the intention if its Creator, makes a nation great in its usefulness to humanity.

Dr. O'Rear said the function of education was training for effective and useful service. Character is formed by attacking and overcoming hard problems. The pioneers were strong and vigorous because they had many hard problems to solve. Flabby muscle and flabby character will not develop vigorous men and women.

Students should be taught to do their work quickly and accurately, without looking for excuse for slighting work. It is a calamity to be born with a gold spoon in the mouth and a misfortune to be born with a silver spoon in the mouth. Poverty is often a good thing for a boy or girl and the best students are usually those who work their way through school. Roosevelt was the exception and indications are that some of his sons will also

WIRELESS SERVICE FOR BERRY REPORTS

Bureau of Markets Will Receive Daily Flashes on Berry Market. Lee R. Miller in Charge.

The Bureau of Markets is establishing a wireless station at Monett for giving and receiving reports of the strawberry market. This will be the first time the wireless has been used for this purpose in the United States and is in the way of experiment. If it proves successful the wireless will be made a permanent feature of the Bureau of Markets dispatches.

Lee R. Miller is in charge of the work at Monett. He has established an office in the assembly room of the First National Bank and the apparatus will be placed on the top of the bank building, the highest structure in the town.

The Bureau of Markets is under the auspices of both federal and state market bureaus.

JOSEPH BEUHLER DIED SUNDAY AT THE AGE OF 83 YEARS

Joseph Beuhler, died at 7:15 o'clock Sunday evening May 15, 1921 at his home in the northeast part of Verona at the age of eighty-three years and one month. The funeral was held from the Catholic church at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Burial was made in Verona Catholic cemetery. His death was due to heart trouble.

He was born at Greenville, Ohio, April 15, 1838 and came to Verona in 1859. In addition to his widow, he is survived by three sons and four daughters, John and Henry of Verona and August of Kansas City, Sister M. Josephine, of St. Francis convent, Nevada, Mo., Mrs. F. A. Pachhofer, Nevada, Mo., Mrs. Henry Ammeser and Miss Anna Beuhler of Verona.—Verona Advocate.

DIED

Mrs. A. McGinnis died at the home of her son, Hugh McGinnis, eight miles south Peirce City, Tuesday, May 17th, following an illness of long duration. The deceased was 70 years old. She is survived by four daughters four sons. Funeral services were held at St. Patrick's church Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Father Kelley.

Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.—Leader-Journal.

CELEBRATE 20TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A jolly crowd of relatives gathered at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. John Conrey Sunday evening and pleasantly surprised them, the occasion being Mr. and Mrs. Conrey's twentieth wedding anniversary.

The guests arrived about 5:30 and spread a sumptuous feast. Games and music were the diversion of the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Conrey were presented with a beautiful dinner set. The guests left at a late hour wishing Mr. and Mrs. Conrey many more happy anniversaries.

About seventy guests were present.—Peirce City Leader-Journal, May 20.

were many beautiful flowers.

The pall bearers, ex-soldiers in uniform, were Henry Long, James Long, Grant Z. Uiter, Fred Bauer, W. E. Cochran and Earl Douglas.

On reaching Spring River cemetery, they found a very large crowd waiting for them. The men in uniform, 200 in number, marched to the grave in military formation. The military ceremonies as given there were exceedingly impressive. The eulogy given by Post Commander Edgar Price and the prayer of Chaplain D. E. Meador, were given with much feeling and expression. Lee's Novelty Band, of Monett, furnished music and a choir from Monett sang. Robert Harrison, a member of the band, blew taps over the grave.

This was, without doubt, the largest funeral ever held in Southwest Missouri. Veterans of both the World War and the Spanish-American War attended. Probably sixty soldiers from Peirce City, were present and many were in attendance from other places.

DEATH CALLS MRS. LELA TEEL

Mrs. Lela Teel, 42 years old, wife of W. H. Teel, residing one mile west of Peirce City, died at her home at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, May 22. She had only been ill about ten days, first taking sick with ptomain poisoning, later taking typhoid fever.

A short funeral service was held from the home Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Alvin Smith, of Springfield, and the body will be shipped to Hooker, Okla., Tuesday morning where another service will be held and burial will be made.

The family moved to Peirce City last February from Hooker, Okla. They lived at Peirce several years ago before moving to Oglahoma.

The surviving relatives are her husband, three daughters, two sons, two brothers, Arthur Burrows, of Springfield, and Wm. Burrows, of Monett; three sisters, Mrs. Kitty Smith, of Oregon; Mrs. Newt Blakeslee, of Peirce; and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, of Springfield.

Two Times want ad.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES MARK BURIAL

Body of Porter Browning, Killed at Chateau Thierry, Given Military Burial.

The body of Porter Browning, killed by a German airplane bomb at Chateau Thierry July 19, 1918, was brought here for burial and was interred at the Spring River cemetery at Verona with full military honors, Sunday, May 22. The crowd attending the ceremonies was estimated at between 2000 and 3000.

The body lay in state at the city hall all day Saturday and until the funeral on Sunday. Members of the American Legion Post acted as guard. Many people visited the place in honor of the dead.

On Sunday afternoon funeral services were held at the Baptist church. Many people were unable to get inside. The sermon was preached by Rev. C. F. Whitlock. Music was furnished by a choir composed of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson, Percy Johnson, Mrs. W. A. Payne, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Russey, Mrs. J. C. Willis and D. B. Meador. A male quartet gave several selections.

Following the church service, the procession was arranged according to previous instructions from H. I. Bradford, the undertaker and the large crowd was handled without confusion and with dispatch. The procession, when leaving town, reached from the church past Marshall Hill.

Edgar Price, Commander of Wal-ford Anderson American Legion Post, and the adjutant, E. E. O'Dwyer, headed the procession. The firing squad consisted of W. S. Perry, F. M. Warner, G. A. Warner, A. Fritz, Fred Cuendet, F. E. King, W. McCampbell, A. E. Thomas and W. L. Alcock.

Color bearers were Jimmie Fitzjohn, a Marine; Ondo Taylor and John Beasley, of the U. S. Navy. The uniformed men then followed, and after them the flower girls, in Red Cross costumes, who were Charlotte Bradford, Ruby Waite, Marie, Blanche and Alma Gillioz and Fay Baum. There

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